IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the	Application of:	
APPLIC :	ANTS GRAHAM W. KETLEY, JANET L. YEDINAK, MICHAEL HODGES, AND GEORGE A. HUFF	Customer No. 04249
SERIAL NO: 10/718,912) Group Art Unit:) 1764
FILED:	November 21, 2003) Examiner:) PERM C. SINGH
FOR:	PREPARATION OF COMPONENTS FOR REFINERY BLENDING OF TRANSPORTATION FUELS	Attomey Docket No.: 37,416

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116 AND RESPONSE

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Examiner Perm C. Singh:

This is in response to an outstanding Office communication concerning the above-identified application mailed October 18, 2006, with a shortened statutory period for response of three (3) months, set to expire January 18, 2007.

Commissioner for Patents is authorized to withdraw any additional moneys required for this purpose from Deposit Account No. 01-0528.

Amendments to the Specification (none).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims to which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings (none).

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

Appendix (none).